



Nursery Weekly Focus

Week Beginning: 18th November 2024

Thank you to all the parents and grandparents that came along to our Marvellous Maths Parent Workshop. We hope you enjoyed yourselves, the children certainly did. Thank you for all the positive feedback.

This week, we will continue to focus on our topic theme of 'Amazing Autumn', we will explore how kites fly in the wind and make our own kites.

In Literacy we will begin the story 'We're going on a bear hunt'. We will listen to the story. We will learn the story through repetition and actions, becoming more confident in our speaking. We will use a story map to learn this story. We will use some of the adjectives in our own mark making.

In Maths we will be learning all about patterns, recognising them and continuing a pattern.

In RE, this week we will continue our new unit, 'God our Father cares for us'. We will think about how we are a part of God's Family. **With your child, talk about being a part of God's Family.**

In Understanding the World, we will learn about how kites fly and make our own kites.

In expressive Arts & Design, we will complete some hedgehog paintings

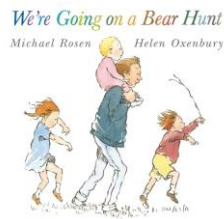
We will recap on setting the expectations of 'Ready, Respectful and Safe' so we will teach the children how to behave in the classroom areas, ensuring they are playing nicely with the other children and being safe.

Focus words this week: bear, hedgehog, God's Family, thick, oozy

Talk about the words and what they mean. Can you use these words within a sentence throughout the week?

Focus Story

We're going on
a bear hunt



Focus: Number 2



Can you spot the number 2?
Can you count 2 from a group of objects?
Can you have a go at writing the number 2?

Rhyme of the Week:

Three Blind Mice

Three blind mice, three blind mice
See how they run, see how they run
They all ran after the farmer's wife
She cut off their tails with a carving
knife
Did you ever see such a sight in your
life as three blind mice?

Story Time

Reading books will be changed on Monday. **Please** send your child's book bag into school each day.





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Nursery Staffing Arrangements

The Nursery class is being taught by a Nursery Team of staff: Mrs Bamforth, Mrs Evans (Teacher) and Mrs Machin (Teaching Assistant).

If you have any concerns, please contact Mrs Hannett.

Reminder: Nursery Opening Times

Morning Session 8:40-11:40

Afternoon Session 12:20 -3:20

The gates will be opened to allow parents to bring their child down to classroom and collect from the classroom. Please ensure, your child arrives and is collected promptly.

This week the children will:

- We will learn the nursery rhyme song, 'Three Blind Mice'
- We will learn the Literacy text 'We're going on a bear hunt'.
- We will learn our story using a story map.
- We will use adjectives in our writing.
- We will learn about patterns, recognise them and continue them.
- We will talk about how kites fly.
- We will make our own kites.
- We will paint hedgehog pictures.
- We will role play 'homes' in our 'Home Corner'
- We will explore objects related to the season Autumn.
- We will learn to share and wait our turn through snack time.
- We talk about how we are a part of God's Family.
- We will also continue to learn our daily prayers.
- The children will complete first PE with Mr Davies on Thursday
- The children will have music with Miss Scoines on a Tuesday and Friday



Friday 22nd November - School Photographer - Individual and Family photos

Sunday 24th November - Commitment Mass for children and families starting the Sacramental Programme

Wednesday 4th December - Nursery & Reception Advent Stay & Pray (Parents invited :2.45pm)

Monday 9th December - KSI & EYFS Nativity Play - 2pm

Tuesday 10th December - KSI & EYFS Nativity Play - 2pm

Wednesday 11th December - KSI & EYFS Nativity Play - 9.30am

Wednesday 11th December - Christmas Dinner Day

Thursday 12th December - EYFS Christmas Wishes Trip - Information to follow

Friday 13th December - Christmas Dress Up Day (Own Clothes - Christmas jumpers/t-shirts/dresses/hats etc. are all encouraged)

Friday 13th December - Christmas Fayre (School Hall 3.30-4.30pm)

Wednesday 18th December - Christmas Craft Day (Children Only)

Thursday 19th December - Christmas Party Day (Information to follow)

Friday 20th December - Last Day before the Christmas Break

Culture Day - Own clothes - children are encouraged to come to school wearing something that reflects their own culture e.g. national dress, colours of the flag etc.

Monday 23rd December - 3rd January - CHRISTMAS BREAK

Monday 6th January - Children Back to School for Spring Term 1



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